

Old Town Historical Committee

May 7, 2007

5:00 PM

MINUTES

Mr. Jarvis called the meeting to order at 5:03 pm. Present for roll call was Mr. Jarvis, Ms. Turner and Ms. Eisnaugle. Also in attendance, were Mayor Miller, Chris Strayer, and Andrew Dutton, Members of the Historical Society, Main Street Canal Winchester and Landmarks.

Approval of Minutes:

Ms. Turner moved to accept the minutes of the April 2, 2007 Old Town Committee meeting and was seconded by Ms. Eisnaugle. All ayes, motion carried.

VOTE: AYES: Ms. Turner, Ms. Eisnaugle, and Mr. Jarvis.

NAYS:

Resolved Items:

Pended Items:

06-01 Interurban Building

Mr. Jarvis, Mr. Ippoliti, Mr. Garvin and John Garrett went to Motts Military Museum hoping to get some insight on the barber museum and what it takes to run a museum. Mr. Motts Museum is a certified museum and it requires many things that are not normally taken into consideration, like ultra violet filtering, special temperature controls for humidity, space and ADA requirements. Discussion ensued. Mayor Miller talked about the Doll Museum, he believes it is also certified and there may also be a potential use there. Mr. Jarvis also wanted to schedule the next sub committee meeting for this, which will be May 17, 2007 at 7:00 pm. in the lower level conference at 36 S. High Street.

03-07 Uses for the Green Space of Stradley Park

Mayor Miller stated that has been kicked around between this committee and other committees about what to do with the Green Space behind Stradley Park. The Main Street Organization would like to see this area remain green space. During the summer months the children from Faith United Methodist use the area to play ball games, people use it to just go back there and relax, as well as, it is used during Christmas in the Village and when other events are going on. Discussion ensued. Mr. Jarvis is going to request to bring back a resolution that Old Town sponsored and forwarded to full council, which they sent back to Old Town because there was not a unanimous decision on the wording of the resolution. Mr. Jarvis will do this during the committee reports.

New Business:

Ms. Eisnaugle wanted to talk about the Denny property at 13 & 15 E. Waterloo, she does not believe they have done anything yet. Mayor Miller said that he believes a new roof has been put on and that they corrected the electrical issue. Chris Strayer said they are issuing him a citation to appear in Mayor's Court for not completing the violations. Discussion ensued and there is still a question about if the roof has actually been completed.

Old Business:

Chris Strayer will give an update once a month under old business about what is being done in the downtown area. Mr. Jarvis also wanted to talk about the Davis property. He said that Mr. Hollins was going to check into this, but that he did share with council the section within the fire code that addresses temporarily vacated properties. Boarding the property is one of the options of dealing with it. Mr. Jarvis feels that maybe the code needs to be a little stronger, for example if they are going to board it then maybe they need to paint it also. Discussion ensued and it was decided that this should go to the person on working on commercial design standards, and then it would go through Planning and Zoning and on to full council.

Adjournment:

Mr. Eisnaugle moved to adjourn this meeting of the Old Town Committee and was seconded by Ms. Turner. All ayes, motion carried.

VOTE: AYES: Ms. Eisnaugle, Ms. Turner and Mr. Jarvis.

NAYS:

Meeting adjourned at 5:53 pm